

As an XM Radio subscriber of 18 months, I feel compelled to provide for the record my objections to the service limitations being demanded by the National Association of Broadcasters in petition 04-160. I was attracted to XM Radio, and ultimately continued to subscribe, because of the over the air radio did not meet my needs. XM Radio has developed a service, as a substitute for a free service, that people are willing to pay to receive. XM Instant Traffic & Weather is simply an extension of that superior service provided. It is somewhat disturbing that I have defend my ability to hear traffic and weather reports through my XM Radio service. Through my own free will I pay a monthly subscription fee and I cannot comprehend how listening to traffic and weather reports negatively affects my fellow citizens.

Thank you for your consideration.